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—Who saw the woodchuck.

—A. C Warner is in Chicago.

—Frank Palmer was out to-day.

—This is known as Candlemas day.

—Charlie Rogers is down from Rockford.

—R. A. Rodesche returned to Peoria to-day.

—Walter Rogers, of North Dixon, is quite ill.

—Illini Tribe of Red Men scalped a pale face last night.

—Superintendent Fritz of the county farm is quite ill.

—Regular meeting of the City Council tomorrow evening.

—Attorney Wm. Barge is in Chicago on professional business.

—Alfred Chiverton is visiting relatives in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

—Dixon Camp M. A. W. holds its semi-monthly meeting this evening.

—Dixon Camp I O. O. F meets tonight at Brook's Hall on Galena avenue.

—This is the regular night of meeting of Nachusa Chapter No 56 R. A. M

—Company G, I. N. G., will depict the battle scene in the "True Blue" entertainment.

—Oliver E. Johnson, being ill, is home from College at Highland Park for a few days.

—Miss Allen and sisters Margery and Lillian of Polo are registered at the Nachusa.

—The Young People's Whist Club meet last night at the home of Miss Della Dimick.

—A house warming was held at the new home of Warren Powers in Praireville last night.

—Judge J B. Charters and wife entertain friends at their home in North Dixon to morrow evening.

—C. A. Saffle, a well known young man of this city, has entered the employ of the local express office.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Schick will spend the balance of the winter in Chicago, returning to Dixon at intervals.

—Stern Brothers are having their store in Opera Block repapered and decorated and arranged for the spring trade.

—The ladies who take part in the "Bells of Cornwall" opera will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. C E Ebert.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet Friday afternoon at five o'clock with Mrs. Brookner, 359 Peoria ave.

—The Ladies' Cinque Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Chas. Dement, corner of Third and Galena avenue Friday evening

—Miss N. Louise Mountz the professional nurse, who has many friends in Dixon, arrived from Chicago this noon to care for G. W. Ingraham.

—When a young woman begins to sit around and look worried and her husband begins to work overtime and look haggard it is a sign that the couple have begun keeping a servant girl.

—Joseph Petersberger has engaged, as clerk in his store, his cousin. Harney Petersberger, of Davenport, Iowa. The young man arrived yesterday and entered at once upon his duties.

—The Reciprocity Clause has saved the American people $130,000,000 in cold cash by the free admission of sugar; it has extended their trade with sugar-producing countries over $108,000,000.

—On February 13th, Chas. Hanson will have a public sale on his farm, six and one-half miles northwest of Ohio Station, consisting of 22 head of horses and colts, 25 milch cows, 60 head of hogs, farm machinery, etc.

—M'lle Rhea will commence her annual engagement at McVicker's Theatre. Chicago, Monday, Feb. 5th, opening in Dumas' famous drama, "Camille," also appearing during the week in "Josephine, Empress of the French."

—An important series of papers on the "Physical Nurture of Children," by Mary Taylor Bissell, M. D., is now in course of publication in *Harper's Bazar*. The first instalment of the series appeared in the number published January 28th.

—In the "Rod and Gun" department of the January number of the "Sports and Amusements" nearly a page is devoted to a thrilling account of a moose hunt in Northern Minnesota by Dr. James L. Camp, of Brainerd, that state, formerly of Dixon.

—The teachers whom we reported as having such a good time at the home of Miss Florence Raymond in South Dixon the other evening, would have had just as good a time as reported, had they gone; but the weather was unpropitious and the sleighride was postponed till tomorrow evening.

—A lady in Rockford, a widow with seven children, being unable to support them all, has written us that she wishes to find homes in Dixon for two of her little boys, aged respectively five and seven years. Suitable persons desiring to raise or adopt one of these children can learn further by calling at this office.

—The Autumn Club is issuing invitations to a hop to be given Wednesday evening, February 8th, at K. P. Hall, in Opera Block. Music by Smith's orchestra Committee of Arrangements: W. C. Jones, Chas. Mulkins, W. C. Thompson; Reception Committee: J. W. Howell, C. H. Arnold, C. L. Clyde; Floor Managers: J. W. Creed, Fred Lord, Lloyd Spencer.

—Representative Talbot of Ogle county will present a bill to the legislative at Springfield, providing for the allowance of a yearly rebate in road tax to all persons using wagons or trucks, on the public highways of the state, having tires not less than four inches broad; the act to apply to those hauling loads in town or county, except in cities of 10,000 or more inhabitants.

CIRCUIT COURT.

As stated in last night's issue the jury rendered a verdict of $500 in favor of the plaintiff. The jury was discharged for this trial and for this term. Mr Barge attorney for the defendant made a motion for a new trial but has not yet argued it. Motion for new trial in the Shaw slander, and Harmon drainage cases were argued yesterday afternoon and this morning Judge Crabtree has taken these motions under advisement. The orders have been entered in chancery cases:

Mary O'Gara vs Margaret Lester. Foreclosure. Stricken from docket with leave to reinstate.

Patrick Fogarty vs Charles McBride Leave is given complainant to amend bill so as to pray for appointment of receiver; application for receiver granted, and Wm. B. Andrus, Esq., is appointed Receiver under bond of $200

Edwin M. Sheldon vs. Laura E Sheldon. Divorce. Case reinstated and defendant ruled to answer by Friday morning.

Complainant in Daniel Wragg vs Jennie Wragg divorce case ruled to answer petition by Saturday morning.

Adam Schuckhart vs Fritz Krehl, Mary Krehl and Carl Krehl. Case heard and decree dismissing the bill for want of equity.

"Keep in de Middle ob de Road."

Some complaint has been made that pedestrians of late have been using the roadways in our streets instead of the sidewalks, to the inconvenience of the drivers of vehicles; and we have been requested to publish the following:

"The streets belong to the teams and vehicles and pedestrians have no more business on them than teams would have on the sidewalk. The cross walks at street corners belong to pedestrians, who have the right of way there, by law, as against teams. Many drivers ignore the law and go dashing over cross walks, endangering the life and limbs of the pedestrians, without once thinking they are violating the law. No vehicle or horse can, within the law, be driven raddidly over a crossing, nor can the drivers obstruct the crossings."

That is all right; and under ordinary circumstances should be strictly observed. But no rider in search of a doctor for a man suffering from serious, perhaps fatal accident, would think of checking his horse's speed at every cross walk; and where the sidewalks are not only dangerous to life and limb, but simply impassable, as many of them have been much of the time of late, in the mind of the pedestrian it becomes a matter not even of a choice between two evils, but of almost absolute necessity to avoid the sidewalks in many places and take to the middle of the road. No reasonable driver will object under such conditions to a little infringment on his right of way. This reminds us that if property owners on our residence streets had been compelled to keep the sidewalks in front of their premises clear of snow, as a few of them have voluntarily done, it would much of the time have facilitated travel and saved many a lady a severe cold from having to wade more than ankle deep in snow.

—The price of pork is not likely to be lowered much before another crop of pigs come in, said a prominent farmer. That will be about a year, or late next fall at the most. Every farmer will have a big lot of hogs and the price will drop. Now the stock raisers are paying fancy prices for brood sows. As much as $35 and $40 have been paid for single heads. There is no fear of a scarcity of hogs next years.

—The Firemen's Masquerade Ball to be given this evening in the Opera House by the Dixon Hose Company will be one of the events of the season, and those who fail to participate in the festivities, or to witness them from the gallery, will miss a grand display. The gorgeous costumes, the graceful figures, the entrancing music, will all combine to make a most pleasurable occasion. Gallery seats can be secured for only twenty-five cents; and an hour or two of greater pleasure cannot be so cheaply bought.

—THE TELEGRAPH is printing for the Y. M. C. A. the program for their coming annual conference in this city, of which we have already given notice through these columns. The meeting will commence on Friday evening of next week and continue through Saturday and Sunday. Delegates will be present from eleven associations in Lee and six adjacent counties, and the order of exercises, which will be given in these columns the day before the gathering, will be of interest to many of our readers. Friends of the Y. M. C. A. will be cheerfully welcomed to the meetings of the conference

—The performance of "True Blue," under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps, promises to be a grand success. At the rehearsal last evening the detail from Company G., under the command of Capt. Baldwin, went through with their parts in good shape. The part of "contrabands" and colored soldiers are taken by real colored people from among our citizens. The Fargo band and Smith's orchestra will furnish music, and the success of the affair is assured. A big canvass is being made for the sale of tickets and the chart of reserved seats will be opened at eight o'clock to-morrow morning.

—Dixon Lodge of Good Templars No. 438, met at their new hall over R. Beier's store, corner of First and Hennepin ave., last evening and installed the newly elected officers for the current quarter, as follows: Chief Templar, Frank Ollers; Vice Templar, Nellie Burnett; Recording Secretary, Mrs. C. A. Lucas; Assistant Secretary, Ida Thompson; Treas., Freeman Hill; Financial Secretary, Mary Agler; Marshal, Henry Buckingham; Sentinel, C Sturz; Guard, Frank Bender; Superintendent of Juvenile Temple, Eva Anderson; Past Chief Templar, Burt Scott. A special meeting was appointed for next Friday evening at half-past seven o'clock at which it is hoped as many as possible of the members will be present to assist in laying carpets and properly decorating the hall. The society is continually receiving new members and in their new quarters will be very pleasantly located.

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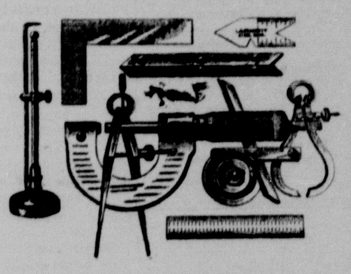

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PARIS, Tex., Feb. 2.—Henry Smith, alias Bob Dowery, a negro who outraged and murdered Myrtle Vance, a little 4-year-old daughter of Henry Vance, on the night of Jan. 26, was burned to death here yesterday afternoon by infuriated citizens. The mob—or committee on vengeance and execution, it might have been called, so deliberately and methodically did it go about its terrible work—was composed of men who are considered here to be the best representatives in the community of law, order and justice.

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Whatever the outside world may think of the awful tragedy that has now become a part of local history the sentiment is unanimous among the neighbors of Mr. Vance that "the punishment fits the crime." There was no doubt of the negro's guilt, he confessed early in the day and abandoned all hope. It was not, however, until the train from Texarkana had got well on its way that Smith was told the manner in which he was to die. He weakened then and begged an officer to protect him. He was told that it was not in the power of all the officers in Texas to save him; further, that they could not if they would take him elsewhere than to Paris, as they themselves were virtually prisoners in the hands of the committee from Paris that had joined the party on its arrival at Texarkana after the arrest.

Revenge and Whisky Responsible.

Smith then made a full confession, though he declared that he had but an indefinite recollection of the outrage and murder, and that whisky was responsible. He begged piteously to be shot, asking that his executioner be some one else than his mortal enemy, Henry Vance, whose child he had killed more from a spirit of revenge than from lust. When the train pulled in at the depot here every housetop and every vacant space as far as the eye could reach was lined with people.

Just So, Brother Birmingham.

Hon. B. W. Birmingham appeared on the platform and addressed the people saying:

"FELLOW CITIZENS: There is no officer on the train who has any control over the prisoner, Henry Smith. Twenty-five of your citizens went in reply to a telegram from your county attorney to meet him, and see that the prisoner was protected and delivered here without injury. We have done that thing. We have not deceived or misled you. We are not officers but citizens only. We have no authority to hold this prisoner against you or any one, and shall make no effort to do so. As citizens we merely wish to surrender the prisoner. We leave to you to do what is right and proper in your sight. Whatever is done, let it be done as the county; everthing orderly, quietly and peaceably. We cannot, if we would resist the thousands here. The prisoner has admitted his guilt in the presence of twelve good and true men. This is all we can say."

Indications of Levity Rebuked.

Prior to the arrival of the train, on some manifestations of levity in the crowd, Hon. J. C. Hodges made a short address, saying that the people of Lamar county and their neighbors had assembled to discharge one of the most solemn duties ever executed by a people whether in their own right or by the arm of the law. Here the people, horrified at a crime so atrocious that the human brain could hardly conceive its enormity, and only the most depraved could have executed it, had resolved upon a punishment commensurate to the crime, and to execute it not by stealth, not by night, but in open day. They had set aside the law of the statute and in the execution of their decree should preserve that orderly, quiet and decorous attitude due themselves and the occasion.

VENGEANCE RULED THE HOST.

A Scene That Might Be Several Hundred Years Old, But Isn't.

To such an extreme was the desire to wreak vengeance on the doomed negro gratified that the entire civilized world may stand aghast at the manner of his execution. It was no spontaneous affair, but had been carefully planned and was executed in its most appalling details in a manner calculated to recall the days of the inquisition. When the train bearing the condemned negro arrived not only every member of this community was in waiting at the station to receive him and attend his execution, but there wire thousands gathered from all the towns within a radius of 100 miles of Paris.

The Victims' Ride to Death.

Smith's appearance was greeted with wild cheers. There was no effort to summarily dispose of him. A slow, lingering death awaited him, which for downright torture finds few parallels in history. After being placed in a wagon Smith, trembling and livid with fear, was driven to the place where death in awful form awaited him. On a large cotton float a box had been placed and on top of that a chair. Here Smith was placed and securely bound and then surrounded by armed men to prevent any outburst from individuals. He was driven slowly to the public square, around it and out to the place of death. Thousands followed the doomed man on his ride of despair, and the streets were lined with other thousands watching him pass.

The Scaffold of "Civilization."

It was as solemn as befitted a cortege of the dead. Limp and quivering in his terror, his face drawn and distorted and ashen with the agony of thought and the horror of his impending doom, the figure of Henry Smith was an awful sight. Out on the bare prairie the scaffold had been built. Four uprights supported ten feet above ground a platform ten feet square, railed in, except on the south side where a stair ascended. In its center a strong post was set and braced on either side.

Turned Over to Henry Vance.

As the wagon approached Henry Vance, the father of Smith's victim, appeared on the platform and asked the crowd, now densely packed for hundreds of yards away and numbering 10,000 people, to be quiet; that he wanted for awhile to get his revenge and then he would turned the prisoner over to any one that wanted him. The wagon having arrived Smith was carried up on the platform, stripped to the waist and placed against the stake. His legs, arms and body were securely corded to it, and he was delivered over to Vance's vengeance.

THE HERO OF THE TEXAN HOUR.

How the Avenger Proceeded to His Entertainment.

A tinner's furnace was brought on, filled with irons, heated white. Taking one, Vance thrust it under first one and then the other side of his victim's feet who, helpless, writhed as the flesh scarred and peeled from the bones. Slowly, inch by inch, up his legs the iron was drawn and redrawn, only the nervous, jerky twist of the muscles showing the agony being endured. When his body was reached and the iron was pressed to its most tender part he broke the silence for the first time and a prolonged scream of agony rent the air.

How Satan Must Have Chuckled.

Slowly across and around the body; slowly upwards traced the irons, the withered, scared flesh marking the progress of the awful punishment. By turns Smith screamed, prayed, begged and cursed his torturer. When his face was reached his tongue was silenced by fire, and thenceforth he only moaned or gave a cry that echoed over the prairie like the wail of a wild animal. Then his eyes were put out, and not a finger's breadth of his body being unscathed his executioners gave way.

Crowing Act of the "Glorious" Event.

Smith and the clothing about his lower limbs were then saturated with oil, as was the platform. The space beneath was filled with combustibles and the whole was covered with oil and fire simultaneously set to his feet and the stack below. Slowly the flames wrapped him in their bluish veil. A moment they burned so and then a shudder shook the throng. The head slowly raised and a broken quavering cry broke the breathless silence, and was echoed by shouts and cries from the more thoughless below. Then the cords binding the arms burned and he raised the crisped and blackened stumps to wipe the sightless sockets of his eyes.

Horrible Contortions of the Body.

Then the cords about his waist gave way and he toppled forward upon the platform and lay there writhing and quivering in the greedy flames. One foot was still fast and held him on the bed of flame. With one supreme effort the body, still animated by the supreme desire of escape, rolled over on its face, rose upon its arms, reached up and caught the railing, and with convulsive efforts, tore the bound leg loose and stood reeling on the stumps of the feet.

Another Effort for Life.

It dragged itself nearly upright against the railing and then dropped, sitting upon the burning platform, its head and arms lying upon the railing and the legs dangling over the edge, and there hung a moment as though this had nearly exhausted its little strength. Then, as the flames roared around him, by another effort he slipped over the edge and fell to the ground.

Crawled Out for the Last Time.

The body lay there still, but was thrust into the mass of fire beneath the scaffold from which it came in a few minutes crawling out only to be thrust back again, and the debris of the fire was piled on top and so did death come to Henry Smith.

Carried Away the Relics.

Every scrap of his clothing was sought by relic hunters, and when all was over fragments of his bones were carried away also. There has not been the slightest disorder or disturbance here since the execution began. Before arriving here Smith asked that copies of the paper giving an account of his execution be sent to his mother at Nashville, Ark.

A Feature Omitted Above.

Tuesday night on the request of Mayor Cate and Sheriff Hammond every saloon in the city closed and remained so until after the execution. The mayor issued a proclamation that all the schools be closed and the children were given a chance to see the horrible spectacle.

Another Omitted Incident.

It should be stated that Vance, the frther of Smith's victim, was assisted in his torture of the prisoner by his 15-year-old son and his brother-in-law.

HIS HEAD IS CHARTED.

A Man Who Lived Although a Minie Ball Traversed His Brain.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 2.—Charles Thomas, of New Mexico, made himself known to Surgeon Barr, of this city Tuesday, as the soldier from whose head the latter had extracted a minie ball on the field of the second day's battle of Bull Run. It was a case of heroic surgery, without expectation that the patient would survive, and the sacrifice of one eye, in the place of which a glass eye is worn. According to Thomas he was reported as dead and now has the peculiar honor of figuring in the national museum at Washington.

Got His Papers Fixed.

There is a drawing of his skull, the flattened minie ball in question and the course it took through his head, all being elaborately set forth on several charts. Thomas came here from his New Mexico home to get Dr. Barr's certificate, the missing link in the papers, which were Tuesday completed and marked "in haste." He hopes to shortly be enjoying several thousand dollars of back pay and drawing a monthly pension of $45.

Purely a Social Call.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—President-elect Cleveland arrived at his office from Lakewood at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. At 11:30 Hon. W. C. P. Breckinridge and C. J. Bronston were announced and were at once admitted. They remained with Mr. Cleveland for an hour. Spoken to on leaving the office Mr. Breckinridge said that the call was purely a social one. "We have no axes to grind," said Mr. Breckinridge, "and we want no offices. We were in the city and know Mr. Cleveland and like him, so we gratified ourselves today by paying him a visit."

The Earthquake on Zante Island.

ATHENS, Feb. 2.—M. Tricoupis announced to the chamber of deputies yesterday that the earthquake Tuesday on the island of Zante was the worst that had occurred there within the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Details of the disturbance, he said, were anxiously awaited, as it was believed that the villages had suffered to as great extent as had Zante, the capital of the island.

That Bomb Story a Fake.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.—The czar attended a court ball Tuesday evening, a fact which disposes of the report that he had been injured by an attempt upon his life.

FOSTER DETAINED.

The Secretary of State Will Stay at Home

TO ATTEND TO THE HAWAII AFFAIR

Senator Frye's View of English Interference—It Would Be "Presumptuous and Impudent," He Says—Other Comment on the Subject—The Senate Passes Two Appropriation Bills—Holman Fights a $16,000,000 River and Harbor Item, but Is Defeated—National Finances—Blaine's Biography.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The principal development in connection with the Hawaiian situation yesterday was the announcement that Secretary of State Foster had given up his trip to Paris next week, whither he was going as agent of the United States to attend the meeting of the Behring sea arbitrators. In view of the necessities of the situation suddenly presenting themselves it has been deemed expedient that he should remain in the department until the close of his term of office, He will, however, meet the arbitrators at the date of their adjourned meeting;which has been fixed for March 23. Senator Frye said yesterday: "The protest of England against annexation on our part if it were deemed wisest and best by the powers of this government would be presumptuous and impudent. I imagine it will be confined to the presentation of a diplomatic note to which our secretary of state, in diplomatic terms, will make reply. England did not consult with us or our interests when she made an agreement with Germany to divide the islands of the Pacific with that power, and she certainly can have no ground for objection if we see fit to take Hawaii, the only territory now remaining in the ocean."

Argument for Annexation.

A prominent member of the committee on foreign affairs of the house said yesterday: "Of course the argument will be made that it is in violation of our long established principle of human liberty for us to take possession of these islands and to deprive the natives of self government. That question, however, does not properly arise. The question is that of predominance of interests in these islands by the United States and the relations existing between Hawaii and the United States by reason of position. The dominating interest of Hawaii by possession is held in the United States, and by position the Sandwich islands form an outpost of the United States. It is acknowledged among nations that such conditions establish in the country thus interested the right to control or protect the outpost. In this we have a strong case. The question of how far the island shall be controlled and how far the natives shall be preserved is incidental and comes after the other."

Non-Intervention Has Variations.

A telegram from Wilmington, Del., quotes Hon George H. Bates, who was our commissioner to Samoa, as saying: "Our government has established for itself a rule of what we call non-intervention in the affairs of other nations, which is, however, talked about and asserted with most vehemence by those who understand it least. I have always believed that the real basis of our doctrine of non-intervention would not interfere with our taking whatever steps were necessary to prot ct our interests and assert our supremacy in the two great neutral groups of the Pacific—Hawaii and Samoa. With Hawaii as American territory and with the rights which we already possess in Samoa, and with the new chance which we hope to see given to American shipping interests under Democratic rule we should have literally what Mr. Blaine fitly termed 'The key to the maritime dominion of the Pacific.'"

Foster Posting Up On Geography.

The war department at the request of the state department is having copies made of a number of blue prints showing the topographical situation of Honolulu and other points in the Sandwich Islands, which are now in the possession of the war department. The copies and the rest of the originals not duplicated will be given Secretary J. W. Foster for reference in the conference he is to have Saturday with the annexation commissioners.

SENATE GETS DOWN TO WORK.

The Fortification and Army Appropriation Bills Passed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The senate yesterday adopted a motion to insist on its amendments to the anti-option bill and ask a conference with the house. The San Francisco chamber of commerce resolutions in favor of annexation of Hawaii were referred. The fortification appropriation bill was then taken up. Gorman urged economy and Hawley and Platt declared the bill unpatriotically penurious. Gorman said the treasury was in a bad way and Platt said it was not. Some amendments increasing the amount of the bill were adopted and the bill passed. The army appropriation came next and a slight increase made, after which it was passed and the District bill taken up, and little done on it. A number of house bills of little importance were passed, an executive session held and the senate adjourned.

Still Working on the Sundry Civil Bill.

The house spent the day in committee on the sundry civil bill, and the fight was over an item of $16,000,000 to carry on river and harbor contracts already made, against which there was a point of order which Holman supported. The point was overruled. Then Holman wanted the amount reduced to $8,000,000; rejected, and after the rejection of other similar amendments the item was agreed to. The bill was still before the house at adjournment.

INCREASE OF THE PUBLIC DEBT.

It Is More Than $3,000,000 Greater Than It Was a Month ago.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The public debt increased in the month of January $3,105,800.68. The aggregate of interest and non-interest bearing debt on Jan. 31, was $963,803,0.3.63, a decrease of $721,719.50. There was a decrease of $3,827,520.18 in the surplus cash. The total amount of cash in the treasury at the close of the month was $772,881,2.9.57, against which there were outstanding liabilities of $647,616,161.55, leaving a surplus of $125,265,068.02. Of this, however, $100,000,000 was the gold reserve held for the redemption of greenbacks.

The Gold Surplus Very Low.

The net gold in the treasury Jan. 31 was $108,181,713—the lowest figure reached in many years. In July, 1892, the net gold was $110,444,391, a figure which had not been previously reached since 1888. The amount includes the $100,000,000 gold reserve set apart as a greenback redemption fund. The gold in the treasury was reduced from $233,359,801 to $228,827,532. Silver increased from $462,369,518 to $468,040,081. The subsidiary silver coin increased during the month about $775,000.

The Outgo Exceeds Income.

The statement of receipts for the month shows that the payments made by the treasury exceeded its income by over $4,000,000. The total receipts were $35,209,972, an increase over the same month of 1892 in every item of receipts. The expenditures were $39,253,381. Ordinary expenditures showed an increase of about $2,000,000, while payments on account of pensions amounted to $13,038,270, an increase over the corresponding month of last year of $2,500,000. Payments on account of interest were nearly $500,000 greater than in January, 1892.

Relative to Blaine's Biography.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The following statement is published by request: The public advertisements of many "Biographies of James G. Blaine" pretending to be "authentic" and "authoritative" compel me to state that no biography or life and works of Mr. Blaine is authorized or approved by myself or by any member of Mr. Blaine's family; that no manuscript by Mr. Blaine or any private letter or paper of Mr. Blaine's or any material for biography has been given out to any one. If in the future any "authentic" or "authorized" biography should be prepared by a competent author it will be authorized by myself. [Signed.] HARRIET S. BLAINE.

Enloe Still After Raum.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Enloe offered in the house yesterday a resolution directing the special committee appointed to investigate the management of the pension office to continue its inquiry. He claims that he has new evidence. Enloe expects to have the resolution reported on by the committee on rules and adopted by the house.

REPEALED THE EDWARDS LAW.

Only Eleven Illinois Legislators Vote "No"—Other Business.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Feb. 2.—Both houses of the legislature yesterday passed the bill repealing the Edwards school law, the senate voting 46 to 0 and the house 115 to 11—the eleven being Berry, Coughlan, Creighton, Cherry, Edmiston, Martin, McKenzie, Murdoch, Spellman, Stubblefield and Wheelock. Before the vote was taken numerous substitutes were offered but all voted down, the majority appearing satisfied at this time to repeal the law now on the books. In the house the Republicans filed a protest against repeal without supplying another law in place of the repealed one, putting the party on record as favoring a compulsory law with the clauses objected to by Lutherans and Roman Catholics eliminated.

State Funds and Interest.

The resolution inquiring of the attorney general whether the auditor can draw three salaries, and whether the state treasurer can appropriate interest on state funds to his own use, was sent to the judiciary committee in the senate with instructions to report a bill on the subject. Knopf's resolution was sent to the same committee. This resolution wants to know what ex-State Treasurer Wilson did with the interest.

Routine Work in the House.

In the house the bill appropriating $6,000 to pay newspapers for publishing the ballot law was passed. The resolution for an inquiry into the advisability of changing the soldiers' orphans' home at Bloomington into a reformatory for girls was withdrawn. Bills were introduced: To prevent vinegar adulteration; to prevent adulteration of canned goods and other food articles, and prohibiting the feeding of cattle and hogs at distilleries and breweries between April and October; "regulating" railway ticket sales, mutual savings banks, sick or accidental benefit associations, fire insurance companies, stock yards, and to require better protection of life by railways.

STOLE A CORPSE'S FINGER.

A "Crap" Player Who Wanted to Have Luck with Dice.

WAPANUCKA, I. T., Feb. 2.—About two years ago Lige Jackson, a colored man of considerable luck with dice, was murdered near Boggy depot and interred in the neighborhood cemetery. The crap games went on and no one thought anything amiss until two weeks ago, when Charles Williams and his father-in-law, Charles Jackson, both colored, had some trouble. Williams, thinking to show Jackson in an unfavorable light, declared that four weeks after Lige Jackson was buried Charles Jackson asked his assistance to obtain a little finger from the left hand of Lige Jackson's corpse, to carry in his pocket for good luck in gambling; that they went together that night to his grave and broke in the top of the coffin and cut the finger off, he (Williams) holding the lamp, while Jackson did the work. A party was organized to investigate, and upon an investigation the coffin was found broken and the finger gone.

Labor Turbulence in France.

MARSEILLES, Feb. 2.—In consequence of a strike among the journeymen bakers of this city the military bakeries are supplying the public with bread. A violent mob of strikers and their sympathizers threatened to attack the military depots at which the bread is baked, while another mob attempted to plunder the bread carts. Troops were called out and dispersed the crowd of rioters.

Wringer Company Burned Out.

CANTON, O., Feb. 2.—The plant of the National Wringer company, which is jointly occupied by them and Musser & Co., manufacturers of pianos, was entirely destroyed by fire Tuesday. The loss is estimated at $30,000; partly insured. The cause of the fire is not known.

Strike of Colorado Miners.

RICO, Feb. 2.—Nearly all the mines in this district closed down yesterday because 600 union miners went on a strike against a reduction in wages to $3 per day. No violence has been used so far, but threats are made against any who may attempt to work.

Failure of a Cigar Firm.

DENVER, Feb. 2.—Harvey & Parker, wholesale cigar dealers, 1412 Larimer street, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of their creditors, naming John A. Valentine as assignee. The assets are $72,028.07; liabilities, $83,427.83.

The Blizzard Rageth West.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Advices from Kansas City, Atchison, Salina, Arkansas City, Wichita and Emporia, Kas., are to the effect that a fearful blizzard was raging all over that section of the country yesterday.

Adopted Annexation Resolves.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—The lower house of the legislature yesterday passed a joint resolution favoring the annexation of the Hawaiian islands to the United States.

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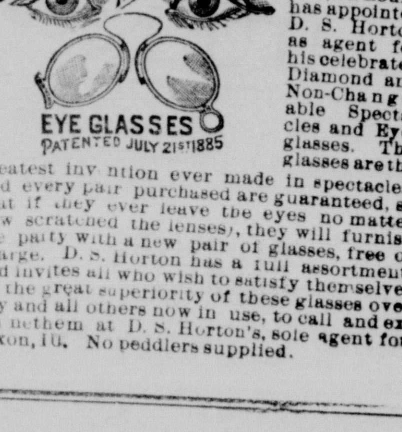

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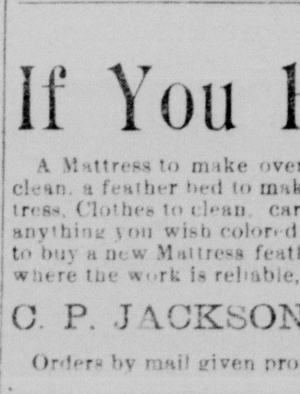

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HAWAII POLITICS.

As Explained by an Annexation Commissioner.

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE TROUBLES

From the Reign of Kamehama V to the Bouncing the Late Queen—A Fight Between Foreign and Native Influence with the Foreigners on Top Every Time—The Electoral System by Which the Country Was Ruled by the Haughty Caucasian.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 2.—Speeding across the continent as fast as the iron horse could draw them, the commissioners from the Sandwich islands reached Omaha promptly on time. The party consisted of Lorrin Thurston, chairman; W. C. Wilder, W. R. Castle, C. L. Carter, Joseph Marsden, and Charles F. Peterson, secretary. Thurston was asked: "How is the population of the island divided?"

"There are about 95,000 inhabitants, and of these 34,000 are natives, about 20,000 Europeans and Americans, 15,000 Chinese, 20,000 Japanese and the rest Polynesians." He did not know what they would do about universal suffrage, but a large number of the natives were not fit to vote.

History of the Matter.

Commissioner W. R. Castle entered more fully into the existing state of affairs. He said: "The government of the islands had been strictly a paternal one, and as long as it was well administered the people were happy and contented without exercising the rights and privileges of suffrage. In 1864 Kamehama V abrogated the old constitution and gave a new one, first calling for a constitutional convention, which gave the native people for the first time a taste of self government. That constitution was well enough as long as the government remained paternal.

Kalakaua Had Ambition.

"When David Kalakaua came to the throne in 1874 he began to usurp powers to himself which were not strictly prohibited, but not intended to be exercised by the constitution. Then he began to buy legislators, and gradually the Hawaiian people became imbued with the idea that it was a fine thing to have the government in their own hands, to control the spending of all the money, but to have the foreigners who owned the property pay all the taxes.

The Foreigners Take Control.

"So things went on from bad to worse until the foreign element could stand it no longer and the revolution of 1887 took place, with a new constitution, which curtailed the powers and prerogatives of the king and attempted to establish constitutional representative government. The attempt was also made by that constitution to have the cabinet represent the majority in the legislature and not to be removed by the king at his pleasure. It also provided for two classes of electors.

Foreigners Allowed to Vote.

"One class of electors had to have educational qualifications, an income of $600 a year derived from some lawful employment, and property assessed at not less than $3,000. This class elected twenty-four nobles. The second class required simply educational qualification. The electors were confined to Americans and Europeans, or those of Hawaiian birth and parentage. The object of this was to exclude Chinese and all Polynesians. The effect of it was to give the foreigners a voice in the legislature. The power of the sovereign was very much curtailed.

NATIVES WANTED A SAY,

And the Queen Seems to Have Been in Sympathy.

"From 1887 to the present time the sovereign and the ordinary run of Hawaiians have been endeavoring to get around the constitution and to form a new one so as to restore the native Hawaiians to full control. The foreigners have been divided on various questions until Saturday, Jan. 14, when the late queen attempted to overthrow the constitution of 1887 and give to the nation a new constitution, which was, after all, only a sham. Its salient points were that the house of nobles should be appointed by the queen solely.

Seems to Have Desired Home Rule.

"The qualification of the electors was confined solely to persons of Hawaiian birth or parentage, which, of course, disfranchised the great bulk of the foreign voters. The supreme court has been an independent body, holding life terms. The new constitution of the queen proposed to create a new supreme court, the members of which were to hold office for six years and to take their appointment from the queen.

Which Wouldn't Have Done at All.

"This short review will show that the proposed constitution would have taken all power and voice from the foreigners and would have given the queen absolute power. Then the queen, Jan. 14, attempted her coup d'etat. All party and division lines dropped out of sight at once. The foreigners came together spontaneously, appointed a committee to consider the situation and devise ways and means to protect property, life and the liberty of the subject.

And So She Had to Go.

"Attempts have been made by the queen and her party to nullify the effect of the storm which they had raised, but the foreigners were not to be appeased and went ahead with their preparations, which on Tuesday, Jan. 17, culminated in the overthrow of the queen, and establishment of the provincial government."

Wisconsin Legislature.

MADISON, Feb. 2.—The house yesterday adopted the joint resolution favoring election of United States senators by the people, only Edmunds, Hintze, Holcomb, Longbotham, McKenzie and Wheelham voting no. Bills were introduced: Exempting only kitchen furniture from taxation; authorizing workhouse prisoners to work on roads in Milwaukee county; a general game bill. A bill to make apportionments non-partisan was introduced in the senate.

Wiped Out the Miner Law.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 2.—The legislature in both houses yesterday passed the Miner law repeal bill, the Democrats being caught napping and failing to obstruct the bill with long speeches as they had intended. A bill to fix the salary of legislators at $600 for the session instead of $3 per day was introduced in the senate.

Will Try Thurston Awhile.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 2.—The Republicans in the legislature last night at a caucus nominated John M. Thurston for United States senator.

DEATH OF "PHOCION" HOWARD.

The Well-Known Illinois Newspaper Man Passes Away.

DANVILLE, Ills., Feb. 2.—James William Boyle Howard, commonly known as "Phocion" Howard, one of the best known newspaper men in Illinois, died yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock of heart failure. He caught cold last September while attending a Republican meeting at Ridge Farm. Since then he has been in feeble health. He came home from Springfield last Friday and had not been confined to his bed. He read yesterday's papers and was walking about his home a few minutes prior to his death. Mr. Howard was born in Rising Sun, Ind., July 4, 1833. He leaves a widow and seven children. The funeral will take place Saturday or Sunday.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

C. F. Wahl, prospector, claims to have discovered a rich vein of gold and silver, over a mile in length and four feet wide, in the New York mountains, San Bernardino county, southern California.

Bicycle tire manufacturers of the United States are said to have formed a trust.

Bernard Menhaus, of Alton Junction, is dead, bringing the death list resulting from the Wann disaster to a total of twenty-nine.

Norwich, Conn., reports the marriage of a 77-year-old groom to a blushing bride of 74.

Irish citizens of the United States are not sitisfied with Gladstone's home rule bill for Ireland, so say M. V. Gannon, president, and John P. Sutton, secretary of the Irish National League in the United States.

Senator Colquitt has so far regained his health as to have good hopes of seeing the inauguration services.

In Atlanta the clergy are up in arms against the proposal of a local literary association to invite Colonel Ingersoll to lecture in that city.

A. B. Sebast, who had been so long away from home that his wife married another man, suddenly returned to Lemars, Ia. His presence caused jealousy with the second husband, who shot his wife. She will recover, and he is in jail.

Ex-Governor Thayer, who was so prominent while holding the governorship of Nebraska against Boyd last year, is now living in obscurity at Lincoln, Neb., in bad health and not first class financial condition.

James A. McGeagh is under arrest at Pittsburg on charge of attempting to sell all the Pittsburg breweries to a London syndicate, although he did not own a cent of stock and had no authority from any body who did.

Chas. Chadwick, of Hannibal, Mo., is said to be the rightful heir of an estate in England valued at $187,000,000.

A poll of the senate shows that the Sherman act repeal bill cannot pass that body, there being a majority against bringing the matter to a vote, even.

Well developed germs of the typhobacillus have been found in St. Louis drinking water.

Diamond Match Company.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—The Diamond Match company at its meeting in the Pullman building yesterday increased its capital stock from $7,500,000 to $9,000,000. Officers were elected as follows: President, A. C. Barber; secretary, H. C. Cranz. The president in his report said that the earnings of the company for 1892 were 31 per cent. in excess of the earnings for 1891.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The following are the weather indications for twenty-four hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Indiana—Cloudy weather and snow, probably followed by clearing during afternoon or night; colder; northerly winds. For Illinois and Iowa—Light snows, followed by clearing weather; easterly winds; slowly rising temperature, except in southeastern Illinois, colder. For Lower Michigan—Generally fair weather, except light snows at lake stations; colder in southeastern portion; northerly winds. For Upper Michigan—Fair weather; northerly winds, becoming variable; colder in eastern portion. For Wisconsin—Generally fair weather; cold northerly winds, shifting to southeasterly tonight; rising temperature tomorrow.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.

Following were the quotations on the board of trade today: Wheat—February, opened 73½c, closed 74c; May, opened 78c, closed 78⅛c; July, opened 77⅝c, closed 77¾c. Corn—February, opened 44¼c, closed 44⅝c; May, opened 47¾c, closed 48c; July, opened 47¾c, closed 48c. Oats—February, opened 31¼c, closed 31¼c; March, opened 32⅝c, closed 32⅝c; May, opened 34¾c, closed 35c. Pork—February, opened $19.20, closed $19.10; May, opened $19.70, closed 19.60; July, opened $19.70, closed $19.90. Lard—February, opened $11.50; closed $11.45.

Live Stock—Hogs: Prices at the Union Stock yards today ranged as follows: Receipts for the day 25,000; quality not so good; left over about 5,500; market opened active on packing and shipping account; best grades steady; other grades 5@10c lower; sales ranged at $5.50@7.40 pigs, $7.25@7.80 light, $7.70@7.85 rough packing, $7.65@8.05 mixed, and $7.90@8.35 heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts for the day 15,000; quality not very good; market fairly active on local and shipping account; prices steady at former prices; quotations ranged at $5.30@6.00 choice to extra shipping steers, $4.70@5.20 good to choice do., $4.00@4.60 fair to good, $3.40@3.80 common to medium do., $3.00@3.75 butchers' steers, $2.00@2.75 stockers, $2.50@3.25 Texas steers, $2.80@3.25 feeders, $1.25@2.75 cows, [illegible]@2.70 bulls, and $3.50@6.50 veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts for the day 9,000; quality fair; market rather active and steady at unchanged prices; quotations ranged at $3.00@5.20 per 100 lbs westerns, $3.20@5.40 natives, and $4.15@6.00 lambs.

Produce: Butter—Fancy creamery, 28c per lb; fancy dairy, 25@27c; fresh packing stock, 16@17c. Eggs—Strictly fresh, 29c per doz; ice house, 24@26c. Dressed Poultry — Spring chickens, 10@11c per lb; mixed lots, 9½@10c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, 11@12½c; geese, 9@12c. Potatoes—Wisconsin Rose, 65@68c per bushel; Hebrons, 65@67c; Wisconsin Burbanks, 70c; Michigan Burbanks, 68@71c; mixed lots, 53@58c. Sweet Potatoes—Illinois, $4.00@4.50. Apples—Fair to good, $2.25@2.50 per barrel. Cranberries—Jerseys, fancy, $8.00@9.00 per barrel; Cape Cod, choice to fine, $10.00@11.00.

New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.

Wheat — No. 2 red winter cash, 79½c; January, —c; February, 78⅝c; March, 79⅝c; April, —c; May, 81⅝@82⅛c; July, 83¾@84c. Corn—No. 2 mixed cash, 50c; January, —c; February, [illegible]c; March, —c; May, 53¾@54c. Oats—No. 2 mixed cash, 38½@38¾c; January, —c; February, —c; March, —c; May, —c. Rye—Nominal; western and state, 58@62c on track. Barley—Quiet; western quoted at 60@68c; No. 2 Toronto, 84@89c; state, 84@89c. Pork—Quiet; extra mess, quiet; family, $12.00@13.35. Lard—Easy; steam, $11.95.

Live Stock: Cattle—Market dull, but generally steady; poorest to best native steers, $3.90@5.80 per 100 lb per 100 lbs; bulls and dry cows, $2.10@3.55. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, firm; lambs active and ¼c per lb higher; sheep, 4.50@6.12½ per 100 lbs; lambs, $6.25@6.90. Hogs—Nominally steady; live hogs, $7.60@8.10 per 100 lbs.

Pleasure and Recreation.

If man be a gregarious animal, woman is no less so, and requires a certain amount of intercourse with her kind for her best development, but the great mistake often made is that pleasure becomes the business of life instead of what it was meant to be—the recreation. It is impossible that character should not deteriorate when such is the case.

Social intercourse, kept in its proper position relative to other and higher things, certainly has a distinct influence for good. It broadens the mind; it brightens the intellect; it develops the power of pleasing and makes one the more agreeable companion. It even educates the love of one's kind by increasing our interest in one another. But when it becomes a "life"—"social life"—and occupies the greater part of woman's thoughts, time and money, it is not only a sin, it is a crime against her own happiness and that of those nearest and dearest to her.

It has been said by a wise Frenchman that "a happy people need few pleasures," and when the world sees a woman to whom social success is the aim and object of life it guesses pretty shrewdly that all is not well at home, and no woman wishes to make a present of such a secret to a captious and critical world.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Passing of the Earring.

People often wonder where all the earrings go or have gone to. A few years ago the fashion of wearing these relics of barbarism was quite general, but now it is the exception and not the rule to see a well dressed woman with a pair. Indeed the ornaments have been left off so long that scores of women who used to wear them could hardly do so now without inconvenience and pain. But the pretty toys or gems have not been thrown away or wasted. Thousands have been worked up into other and more fashionable ornaments. Many very handsome brooches have been made out of earrings which have outlived the fashion, and there has been quite a large amount of ingenuity displayed in the work so as to do away with any suspicion of secondhand in the reconstructed adornments.

More than one pair has been made up into sleeve buttons and presented to a member of the sterner sex, and others have been fitted with pins and used by their fair owners as hat or hairpins. The best judges in these matters doubt whether earrings as such will ever become popular again, and it is very unusual for young women nowadays to have their ears pierced at all.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

An Undesirable Bedfellow.

A very remarkable circumstance occurred at Port Elizabeth, where a puff adder was actually in the bed of a sleeping lady. That it did not bite her can only be accounted for by the fact that it could not do so. It was under the bedclothes, and had no space for action. The lady had a pet cat who was allowed to sleep in her room. One night when too much asleep to arouse herself she was yet conscious of something lying on her chest, but supposing it was only her cat she did not bestir and arouse herself, but fell off again into deep slumber.

In the morning she saw puss asleep on a chair where she had settled herself the previous night, and a puff adder was in her bed. Happily these great deadly serpents are not aggressive, and do not attack unless provoked. The sleeping lady was also unaggressive, which fact, added to the cramped up position of the intruder, insured her life.—Cape Town Letter.

Whittier at Play.

In one of his letters to Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, as given in the Century, the late poet Whittier says:

What a pity it is that we cannot shut down the gate and let the weary wheels rest awhile! For myself, I have to work hard to be idle; I have to make it a matter of duty to ignore duty, and amuse myself with simple stories, play with dogs and cattle, and talk nonsense as if I were not a Quaker. Dr. Bowditch says that a man of active brain ought to make a fool of himself occasionally and unbend at all hazards to his dignity. But to some of us life is too serious and its responsibilities too awful, for such a remedy. The unsolved mystery presses hard upon us.

The Weather and Men's Spirits.

There is a rich field of study for some one in the investigation of the influence of the weather upon the feelings of people. A crowd on a bright, clear day is always a buoyant and merry one. Everybody is an optimist. The mental conditions are practically the same in a heavy storm, be it rain or snow, but when it is half between rain and fair weather, when it is dull and damp and muggy, every person one meets seems to be a follower of Schopenhauer.—Boston Journal.

A Pleasant Shave.

Customer—What makes your hand jerk so with that razor?

Barber—Why, boss, I'ze used to de fits.

"The fits?"

"Yes, boss, but don't be scart; it is ten minutes befor' dey come on. Jes' you res' easy; dat's de symptoms."—Texas Siftings.

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	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Min.	Precip
Sun.	-2	11	6	12	-2	
Mon.	19	23	1	23	1	
Tues.	16	30	34	34	-3	.08
Wed.	-1	4	-2	34	-2	
hurs.	17	21				
Fri.						
Sat.						

A. O. CLARK, Observer.

R. R. TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No 1 Overland Limited	A	1:23 a m
No 7 Pacific Express	A	2:03 a m
No 11 Clinton Passenger	C	12:13 p m
No 3 Omaha Express	C	4:04 p m
No 9 Sterling Passenger	C	7:27 p m
No 5 Denver Limited	A	8:54 p m
No 35 Clinton Freight		6:40 a m

No. 11 will run through to Clinton.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No 8 Atlantic Express	A	5:25 a m
No 6 Denver Limited	A	5:22 a m
No 2 Overland Limited	A	6:51 a m
No 10 Sterling Passenger	C	7:12 a m
No 4 Omoha Passenger	C	10:47 a m
No 12 Clinton Passenger	C	2:45 p m
No 16 Freight	A	7:35 p m
No 46 Freight	C	755 a m

"A" Daily.
"C" Daily except Sunday.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger †	11:11 a m
Passenger *	3:35 a m
Freight Passenger †	6:20 a m
LaSalle †	6:10 p m
Freight	3:00 p m

GOING NORTH.

Passenger *	2:55 a m
LaSalle Passenger †	6:20 a m
Passenger †	2:35 p m
Freight †	6:10 p m
Freight	9:00 a m

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—Miss Alice Henderson is enjoying a visit from a friend Miss Laura Baker of Chicago.

—The "True Blue" company will meet for rehearsal in K. P. hall, opera block tonight.

—Dr Pollock enjoyed a visit from his brother, Dr. D. J. Pollock, of Sterling, yesterday.

—The quarantine has today been removed from the residence of Jas. H. Clark, West Dixon.

—Mrs. Strong, who has been visiting her son, Prof. Strong, of the college, returned to her home to-day.

—E. S. Curran, of St. Joseph, Mich has joined his wife who is visiting at the C. E. Ebert home on Peoria avenue.

—The Missionary Society of St Paul's church hold a mission tea at the parsonage this evening from five to eight o'clock.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ebert entertain at the Dixon Club room with a Musicale dance this evening. Program to be given at 8 o'clock.

—Miss Trowbridge has consented to sing for the audience during the performance of "True Blue" at the opera house Friday evening.

—The Chautauqua Literary Circle of this city have made arragements for a sleighride party to the home of Elijah King at Temperance Hill tomorrow evening.

—James Doyle of Harmon, while in Sterling Tuesday, fell on the icy sidewalk and received a rather serious injury, as he struck upon the back of his head, producing a severe concussion of the brain. He was taken to the Randolph house and yesterday was still unconscious.

—Mrs Emma Dummond, suing for divorce from her husband, John Drummund, at Denver, Colorado, electrified the court yesterday by charging her husband with complicity in the murder of Rev. Haddock at Sioux City, Iowa, some years ago; stating that he procured of her mother $2,000 to be given as hush money to silence a notorious character cognisant of the facts at that time.

—Last evening a sleigh load of the members of Dixon Lodge No. 39, I. O. O. F., called on Lodge No. 590, of Rock Falls. After the work of the lodge was over and a few speeches were made, the visitors were escorted to the dining room, where the Rebekahs of the lodge had a feast spread fit for a king. After partaking of a sumptious repast the guests repaired to the hall and spent a social hour or two with their hospitable friends, and were so highly entertained by them that it was a late hour when the exchanged farewells and started homeward.

—Each house of the Illinois Legislature passed a bill yesterday repealing the Berry-Edwards compulsory education law, that mischievous piece of legislation which cranks managed to smuggle through a deceived General Assembly. In the Senate there was not a desenting vote against the repeal. In the House eleven votes were cast in the negative by Republicans who thought the law should not be repealed without making immediate provision for a substitute. This was the essential point of the protest which will be put on record by the Republican members. They want the Edwards law repealed, and they say specifically that parochial and private schools supported by private contributions must be left to the exclusive management of those who contribute to their support, but they do not want the state to be without a compulsory education law As a majority of the Democrats seem to be in favor of such a measure the Republicans will doubtless be able to secure the passage of a bill on this subject, but they must stand fast by the promises of the platform of their party and not push any bill which assumes that the state has a right to meddle with private or parochial schools supported by private funds.—*Chicago Tribune, Feb. 2.*

—Scribner's Magazine for February has a number of illustrated articles on unusually interesting bits of foreign lands. The writers of these invariably take the picturesque point of view, and, with the appropriate illustrations, succeed in conveying the peculiar atmosphere of the various places. Dr. Henry van Dyke writes an unconventional travel-sketch, with the title "From Venice to the Gross-Venediger." From a far different outlook, Mr. and Mrs. Blashfield describe "Florence and the Florentine Artist," with pen and pencil. From the point of view of the decorator, Frederic Crowninshield concludes his impressions of modern Rome, with illustrations of its unique beauties. Alfred Jerome Weston gives the color and spirit of Tangier in his sketch entitled, "From Spanish Light to Moorish Shadow," Another paper by the late Marquis de Chambrun (whose pen-picture of Lincoln was conspicuous in the January number) gives his vivid "Personal Recollections of Chas. Sumner," with whom he was well acquainted from 1865 to Mr. Sumner's death in 1874. In fiction this issue is particularly rich, containing three complete short stories and the second instalment of Mrs. Burnett's charming serial, which is fascinating so many readers by its picture of the miud of a child, and because it is frankly autobiographical. Octave Thanet has the sixth and last of her group of Stories of a Westren Town," this one being the love-story of Harry Lossing, who has appeared from time to time in the other sketches. The readers of this group of stories will be glad to know that, with Mr. Frost's admirable illustrations, they are to be published soon in book form.

A SUCCESSFUL DEPARTMENT.

The Telegraphy School Crowded with Students.—Other College Notes.

Although the temperature is very low it is not too cold for telegraph operators Two new students entered from Carthage, Ill., this morning and one yesterday from Lacon

J. W. Kennedy was sent to Omaha, Neb., to work on B. M. R. R'y, under Chief Dispatcher Forbes; and W. Kenaga has received pass from Gen. Supt. Illinois Central R'y to go at once to Duquoin, Ill, and report for duty. Both are good students.

The Telegraph Department has now 118 students on roll, notwithstanding the fact that hardly a day passes without one student going away to a position. Every graduate from this department this year was sent to a good position. Prof. Rice has a wide spread influence and has many places of value for pupils that complete the course.

D. V. Raymond, of this city, is taking guitar lessons.

Miss Georgia Kentner will give a recital one week from to-night.

The autobiographies in the Rhetoric class are drawing many visitors.

In the actual business room A. H. Beaver's office was placed in the hands of receivers, it being insolvent, and the effects thereto were sold at auction by Mr. Lumley. Mr. L. demonstrated his ability as an auctioneer, for he not only received high prices for goods put up, but got his hearers so enthusiastic that some of them who were penniless were constrained to make bids.

Prof. Neighbor talks to the debaters next Saturday morning.

After the organization of the debating sections last Saturday Prof. Heritage made a speech, which was well received.

All present to-morrow morning at Chapel will be favored with a song by Miss O'Brien.

E. J. Trerise left this morning for Helena, Montana, to assume a position with a corps of mining engineers

ILLINOIS ROADS.

The Good Roads Magazine is making a state effort on behalf of road making; i. e: the December number was given up to Illinois, and the article, extracts of which we use, was written by Governor Altgeld. Other states will be treated in the same fair, but open to censure, manner. There is nothing attracting the attention that good roads are today, and as it will in all likelihood be a debatable subject before the house of representatives the present session we take pleasure in presenting the matter. We hope our representatives will challenge the good cause.

"The question of good roads is one of the most important that now confronts the farmers of Illinois, and it relates to a class of internal improvements that the state will have to take hold of with a resolute spirit. The time has come when a citizen of Illinois should be able to drive from one end of his state to the other with a team at all times of the year. * * *

Years ago the state had something like an internal improvement system. I believe the greater part of the Chicago & Alton Railroad was built by the state Other great enterprises that were calculated to develop the resources of the state, to bind the people together and give them rapid means of transportion, were aided and carried out by the patronage of the state government. The time seems now to have come when the state must again take up this subject of internal improvement, especially in so far as it relates to the making of good roads, and it should be done upon a comprehensive system so as to insure something like uniformity from one end of the state to the other, otherwise we might have cases were one county or perhaps one township would build a good road and then the adjoining township or county would not, and thus a kind of fragmentary improvement would result As to how the expense should be borne is a matter of detail that will require a good deal of examination. It is probable that in most cases a part of the expense could be levied in the form of an assessment upon land along the route, that derive some *special* benefit from the road, and that another part of the expense could be paid by the county, and it is possible and perhaps proper that in some instances the state should contribute something.

As to the material with which to build improved roads, some difference of opinion exists. Some engineers claim that a good quality of clay can be found at no great depth all over the state. Assuming this to be true, this clay might be dug up at different points along the road where it is needed and burned right there into hard, irregular fragments; that is, instead of attempting to mould it into bricks, or regularly sharpened blocks it should be so burned in small irregularly shaped chunks as to become hard as stone, and this could be used to make a "macadamized" road It is claimed for this system that clay thus burnt would make even a better road than stone, and that by reason of the small cost of hauling, the road could be made without very great expense.

Other engineers advocate the making of macadamized roads out of crushed stone and claim that a road-bed wide enough to provide for the passage of four teams abreast could be built at a cost ranging from $2,500 to $3,000 a mile. They also urge that, inasmuch as the state owns large quarries, the state convicts, instead of being "hired out" at a few cents a day to work for contractors who thus enhance their own private fortunes, should be set to work breaking stone to be shipped to various points and used in building roads. This plan has a great deal to recommend it, and, I must say, strikes me favorbly. I do not say that all convicts should be set at this work, but that a very large proportion of them should.

It may be that, when the subject is once taken hold of in earnest, an entirely new plan can be devised, differing from anything that has yet been discussed, and leading to a satisfactory solution of the whole problem. However this may be, the time has about come for the mud road to go."

—This is early in the season for snake stories, but Daniel Curran and son Charlie, have one to tell. Yesterday, while at work in their stone quarry, up near Fuller's place, a blue racer, three feet long, crawled out of a crevice in the rocks and, although quite lively on its first appearance, was soon stiffened by the cold snow They had worked below the frost line and disturbed him in his winter bed.

—"Carmen Sylva," Queen of Roumania, is the author of the article on Bucharest, the Roumanian capital, to be published in the number of *Harper's Weekly* issued February 1st The article is the seventeenth in the great series of papers on the "Capitals of the World," and is profusely illustrated. The sketch of the late Bishop Phillips Brooks will be written by the Rev. Dr. W. S. Rainsford, of New York. It will be accompanied by a portrait.

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THE LATEST NOVELTIES.

Dresden china tea bells are very pretty.

Mirrors of Venetian mosaic come for dressing tables.

Decorated china pots are intended to hold condensed milk.

Bone dishes are now regarded as a necessity and are in many charming devices.

Rose jars of crystal and gold of Doulton and Royal Worcester are now indispensable.

Dresden and Worcester candelabra are very popular for the æsthetic banquets now in vogue.

Every sort of article for table use, excepting knives and forks, is found in Copenhagen ware.

Moorish pottery and its kindred Spanish wares are used for decorative purposes over doors and windows.

Toast racks of fancy china are new for the breakfast table and share popularity with those of silver.

Compotiers of Russian enameled glass are new and have a lovely jeweledlike aspect that is very decorative.

There is a fancy for Japanese earthenware which has speckles as if it had suddenly broken out with an eruption.

Champagne in pitchers is a feature of ladies' lunches. The pitchers are beautiful, but most desirable in clear glass.

Sculptured glass is one of the novelties of the season. Vases, powder boxes, toilet bottles and trays are all found in sculptured glass.—Jewelers' Circular.

Her Only Chance.

A.—Why does Miss Elderly go on the ice every time there is skating?

B.—Because that's her only chance to see a man at her feet.—Texas Siftings.

Worse Still.

She—You will have to work hard if you win her.

The Poet—I'll have to work harder if I don't.—Life.

—*Harper's Magazine* for February opens with Edwin A. Abbey's illustrations of Twelfth Night, accompanied by Andrew Lang's interesting and scholarly comment upon the play. Mrs. Annie Fields contributes a delightful chapter of personal reminiscences of Whittier—"notes of his life and his friendship"—which is accompanied by several illustrations and portraits. Rev. John W. Chadwick writes a similar chapter of "Recollections of Geo William Curtis," which is illustrated with portraits of Mr. Curtis at different periods of his life. Julian Ralph's second paper on the South relates to "New Orleans, our Southern Capital," and is brimful of interesting and valuable information. More than twenty illustrations by W. T. Smedly supplement Mr. Ralph's graphic descriptions. The story of another remarkable city is admirably told in John B. Shipley's timely article on "Bristol in the time of Cabot." The poetry of the number includes "The Red Bird," by Madison Cawein, and a historical poem, "L'Ordre de-Bon-Temps," by William McLennan. The Editor's Study, by Charles Dudley Warner, deals largely with some of the most interesting features of the Columbian Exposition. The Editor's Drawer is introduced by an amusing sketch by Thos Nelson Page, entitled "The Danger of being too Thorough."

TO THE TAX PAYERS OF DIXON.

The time for paying Taxes to the Collector is fast passing away and you will very much oblige by paying as early as possible as it is impossible to attend to all at once. Your favors will be appreciated.

03tf F. A. SWITZER, Collector.

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Wanted a No. 1 man to take one half interest in a good paying grocery business. Capital required $800 to $1000. Best of reference given and required. Enquire at this office.

Feb. 1, 1893. 2d6t.

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93tf

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36m3 MISS ANNA SHELTON, Hair-dresser

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Wigs for next Thursday's masquerade can be rented at Miss Anna Shelton's shop. Orders must be left by Monday evening. 99t2

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That's what Frank M. Bemis, Supt. of the Grand Rapids School Furniture Co. has to say: "Am completely cured of chronic diarrhœa of two years standing, by using Bethesda water for seven weeks," write Capt James McDonald, of Galveston, Texass It has no equal for disorders of the stomach, kidneys or bladdar. All druggists sell it in sealed half-gallon glass bottles. BETHESDA MINERAL SPRING CO Waukesha, Wis.

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A Pleasant Taste.

The French say when anything offends their taste that it leaves a bad taste in their mouths. This is the result of most medicines. People try to avoid the sensation by sugar coating pills and in this way to avoid the sensations of swallowing a bitter bolus, but the feeling is there and the lump still sticks in the throat. There is, however, a remedy that absolutely disguises all unpleasant taste. These are the Laxative Gum Drops. These Gum drops appear in size, taste and flavor like the ordinary gum drop of the confectioners, but they are so skillfully medicated that they act with certainty, but mildly without pain or griping. For dyspepsia, for indigestion and all stomach toubles they have no equal. They are put up in boxes, the small size at ten cents. The small size contain twelve, the large size form thirty-six to forty. making them the cheapest laxative in the market. Get them of any dealer; but if yonr druggist will not order them for you, write to us and we will send them to you by mail.

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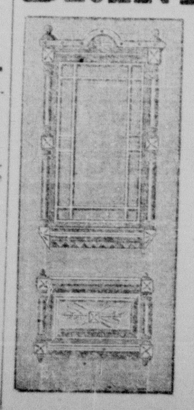

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